Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application.

1.-5. (Cancelled)

6. (Currently Amended) A transmission and reception apparatus which operates to receive a video signal and transmit it to an external device can link with an external device via a network, comprising:

a reception device configured to receive a videochannel signal from broadcasted programs based on channel information related to said channel signal; an output device configured to output the videochannel signal received by the reception device;

a recording device selectable to effect recording of the videochannel signal received by the reception device;

a transmission system selectable to effect transmission of the videoboth said channel signal recorded by the recording device and said channel information related to said channel signal, to the external device via a network; and

an input unit responsive to user manipulation,

wherein, based on user manipulation from the input unit, the recording device starts recording of the videochannel signal which is received by the reception device after said user manipulation, as a recorded portion, and the output device stops outputting the videochannel signal; and

wherein, in response to a request from the external device, the transmission system transmits, to the external device, both the videosaid channel signal of the recorded portion recorded by the recording device for enabling watching of the recorded portion at the external device, and said channel information of the video signal for enabling recording of a further recorded portion of the video signal which is broadcasted after receiving the request, and the recording device stops recording the videochannel signal,

wherein the further recorded portion of the video signal recorded at the external device by using the channel information, represents a continuation of the recorded portion recorded by the recording device the transmission of said channel information is timing for starting of recording of said channel signal regarding to said channel information at the external device.

7.-16. (Cancelled)

17. (Previously Presented) The transmission and reception apparatus according to claim 6,

wherein the request from the external device is a request to time shift watch

the video signal recorded by the recording device, at the external device.

18. -21. (Cancelled)

22. (Currently Amended) A system comprising:

a transmission and reception apparatus which operates to receive a video signal and transmit it to an external device can link with an external device via a network, including:

a reception device configured to receive a videochannel signal from the broadcasted programs based on channel information related to said channel signal;

an output device configured to output the <u>videochannel</u> signal received by the reception device;

a recording device selectable to effect recording of the videochannel signal received by the reception device;

a transmission system selectable to effect transmission of the videoboth said channel signal recorded by the recording device and said channel information related to said channel signal, to the external device via a network; and

an input unit responsive to user manipulation,

wherein, based on user manipulation from the input unit, the recording device starts recording of the videochannel signal-which is received by the reception device after said user manipulation, as a recorded portion, and the output device stops outputting the videochannel signal; and

wherein, in response to a request from the external device, the transmission system transmits, to the external device, both the videosaid channel signal of the recorded portion recorded by the

recording device for enabling watching of the recorded portion at the external device; and said channel information of the video signal for enabling recording of a further recorded portion of the video signal which is broadcasted after receiving the request, and the recording device stops recording the videochannel signal; and the external device including:

a request unit to send the request to the transmission and reception apparatus;

a reception system configured to receive both said channel
signal recorded by the recording device and said channel information
related to said channel signal from the transmission and reception
apparatus;

a second reception device configured to receive videoa channel signal of the recorded portion and the channel information, and to receive the video signal corresponding to the channel information the broadcasted programs based on said channel information regarding to said channel signal received by the reception system;

a second recording device configured to record the channel signal received by the second reception device, responsive to the channel information, for recording of the video signal corresponding to the channel information and received by the reception device, as the further recorded portion; and,

a second output device configured to output the video signal of the recorded portion and then the further recorded portionsaid channel

signal received by the reception system and then said channel signal recorded by the second recording device;

wherein the further recorded portion of the video signal recorded at the external device by using the channel information, represents a continuation of the recorded portion recorded by the recording deviceafter receiving said channel information from the transmission and reception apparatus, the second recording device starts recording of said channel signal received by the second reception device.

wherein, after starting recording of said channel signal, the second output device starts outputting of both said channel signals.

23. (Previously Presented) The transmission and reception apparatus according to claim 22,

wherein the request from the external device is a request to time shift watch the video signal recorded by the recording device, at the external device.

24.-25. (Cancelled)